3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest or any tender without assigning any reason thereof. The deposit so tendered will be returned in the case of all unsuccessful tenders.

4. Within fifteen days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 100 each in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, and execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself of observing the following conditions, failing which the earnest money already furnished will be forfeited to Government and the contract cancelled.

(*a*) That he provides himself with sufficient number of labourers and carts for promptly carting timber that is available in the coupe.

(*b*) He or his agent will carry out all instructions that may be issued from time to time by the Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests or the Depot Officer, failing which his contract will be cancelled and the security deposit forfeited.

M. G. VENKATA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 2nd August 1935.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification calling for tenders for the carting of prepared Sandalwood from Chikmagalur Sandal Koti to the Kadur Railway Station and loading the same into wagons for despatch to Sandal Oil Factory, during 1935-36, published on pages 1542-1543, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th August 1935.

Abstract Notification dated 5th August 1935.

The attention of the public is invited to the datailed notification calling for tenders for the carting of timber from Koppa and Mudgere Ranges to Kadur Depot, during 1935-36, published on page 1582, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th August 1935.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 12th August 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, up to 30th August 1935 (2 P.M.), for constructing a zinc sheet roofed shed in the 2nd quadrangle of the Government Printing Press, Bangalore. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of November 1935.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Bangalore between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given overleaf, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of rupees one hundred and twenty only (120) in cash or Government Promissory Notes as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for constructing a zinc sheet roofed shed in the second quadrangle of the Government Printing Press, Bangalore," in default of which tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Executive Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled, and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Executive Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiry regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Rates once tendered will not be enhanced on any account.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the department or those fixed by the Executive Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for Contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of dispute about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Executive Engineer will be final and legally binding.

12. Quotations must be given in words as well as in figures and they must be in specific terms of unit shown against each item of work. Any quotation quoted at so much percentage less or more than estimated rate will not be accepted. Transfer of works to third parties by selected contractor will not be countenanced by the department and in the case of any such attempt, the earnest money is liable to be forfeited at the discretion of the Superintending Engineer.

An approximate estimate of quantities for constructing a zinc sheet roofed shed in the second quadrangle of the Government Printing Press, Bangalore.

Serial No.	Items of works	Unit	Quantity	Rate in	
				Figures	Words
				Rs. a. p.	
1	Earthwork excavation for foundation and filling basement with watering and consolidating, etc., complete	C.yds.	48		
2	Stone jelly concrete work in lime mortar including tamping	C.ft.	644		
3	Burnt stone in mud foundation and basement.	,,	537		
4	Superstructure :— Burnt Brick in mud	,,	1,533		
5	Burnt Brick in mortar construction ..	,,	284		
6	Providing and fixing burnt stone slabs 6″ thick for basement, one line dressed on top and side with quoin dressing	S.ft.	336		
7	Providing and fixing T.W. doors with panelled $1\frac{1}{2}$″ thick shutters, frame to be 3″×5″ including iron works, etc., complete	,,	49		
8	Providing and fixing T.W. windows full glazed $1\frac{1}{2}$″ thick shutters, frame to be 3″×5″ including iron bars $\frac{3}{4}$″ thick and iron works, etc., complete	,,	108		
9	Teakwood wrought and put up	C.ft.	85·6		
10	Providing and fixing corrugated zinc sheet roof with galvanized bolts and nuts, etc., complete, including overlap of 2 corrugation lengthwise and 6″ crosswise	Sqr.	17·00		
11	Providing and fixing plain zinc sheet ridging 2 feet wide with bolts and nuts, etc., complete	R.ft.	$52\frac{1}{2}$		
12	Providing and fixing T.W. ornamental eave board 9″ breadth 1″ thick as per (design to be given)	,,	170		
13	Finials, T.W.	Each	2		
14	Pendents, T.W.	,,	4		
15	Chunam plastering	Sqr.	35·00		
16	Cement pointing to basement (grooved) ..	,,	1·40		
17	Flooring with burnt stone slabs 6″ thick one line dressed and fixed in mortar over 3″ concrete and cement mortar pointing to joints, etc., complete	,,	9·66		
18	Whitewashing two coats	,,	17·50		
19	Colour washing two coats	,,	17·50		
20	Wood oiling and tarring two coats	,,	9·77		
21	Silicate painting two coats	,,	5·76		

A. TANDONI RAO,
Executive Engineer.